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10.		After conferring with	25)
DDP	/SAO, I returned	call concerning Senator	25)
Robert Kenne	dy's proposed visit	to the University of Sao Paulo Law	
School, Braz	il, scheduled for 21	November. noted that the	25
Ambassador 1	has suggested that a	an appearance by the Senator is not	
recommended	d. spe	ecific request covered two points. One,	
any history of	f incidents of studer	nt disturbances at the University of	
Sao Paulo or	other Brazilian Uni	iversities, as it is the impression of the	
Senator's offi	ice that the Brazilia	an schools have a better reputation in this	
matter than c	other schools in other	er Latin American countries. The second	
point was info	ormation concerning	g the composition, Communist or what-	
ever, of the s	student body and fac	culty of the University. In brief, I advised	
th	at the vocal politica	ally active elements of the Universities is	
leftist but tha	it this does not nece	essarily reflect the views of the student	
body as a who	ole. As to disturba	nces at the University, I confirmed their	
teeling that B	razilian schools ar	e not noted for disturbances and advised	
that a quick c	check did not reveal	any specific instances at the University	
of Sao Paulo.	I noted that it is o	our understanding that the advice provided	
by the Ambas	sador has resulted	from current reports to the Ambassador	
of possible disturbances. In response to query concerning			25
these reports	, I advised that I d	id not know the substance of the report	
but that we w	ould have to assume	e that they had been sufficient for the	
Ambassador in making his recommendation. in turn, specu-			25
lated that it n	night be necessary	for their office to go back to the Ambassa-	
dor in attemp	oting to ascertain th	e context of the report since the matter of	
the change is	a cause for some o	concern. During the conversation,	25
referre	∍d back to the origin	nal briefing by three Agency officers and	
noted again,	as di	d during the week, how very helpful the	
Agency and it	s people have been	in providing information to the Senator	
for this trip.	I have no doubt tl	hat as further questions arise, further	
calls will be	received from the S	Senator's office.	
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	A = 1 = 4 = 7	Met with Mrs. Marie Hershey,	
the marine '	ve Assistant to Rep	resentative Harold R. Collier, concerning	~-
the various it		ence recieved from	25
reportion and 1	Mrs. Hershey	y advised that she was just back from	
vacation and l	h har during the	put herself up to date on this matter. I	
for the Conze	n her during the we	ek and provide a suggested draft response	

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